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Analytical Approximations

OF THE LEADING

Patent Medicines.



The following gives the Constituents of the **Best known Nostrums or Secret Remedies** advertised to the Public. They are in every case the result of Analyses, and make no pretensions beyond being honest and careful Analytical approximations.

NOTE.—One ounce yields 480 grains.

Syrups, Emulsions, Embrocations, and Various.

Antipon.— $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. citric acid, 2 ozs. alcohol, water to 6 ozs. Dose, 2 dessert spoonfuls, after meals.

Antexema.—Vaseline 4 ozs., Boric Acid $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., Gummy matter 1 oz., Water 5 ozs. Shake the bottle well.

Blair's Gout and Rheumatic Pills.—Powdered Colchicum Corm 210 grains, Burnt Alum 35 grains, make into 100 pills.

Bile Beans.—Cascara Sagrada Extract 24 grs., Powdered Rhubarb 12 grs., Oil of Peppermint 4 drops, and Extract of Licorice 24 grs. Make into 24 bean-shaped pills.

Beecham's Pills.—Aloes 12 grs., Ginger 24 grs., and Castile Soap 24 grs. Mix and make into 24 pills.

Californian Syrup of Figs. Syrup of Senna 1 oz., Syrup of Figs 4 ozs. Cinnamon Water 3 ozs.

Clarke's Blood Mixture.—Iodide of Potassium 48 grains, Chloric Ether 4 drams, Liquor Potass 30 drops, Coloured Water to make 8 ozs.

Condy's Fluid (a.a.)—Although the makers say to the contrary, the following will be found exactly the same:—1 oz. Permanganate of Potash dissolved in four pints of water. In some samples analysed Permanganate of Soda was substituted for the Potash.

Cuticura Ointment (d.b.)—Carbolic acid (crystals) 40 grains, chlorohydl $\frac{3}{4}$ oz., oil of bergamot $1\frac{1}{2}$ drams, petroleum jelly 1 lb. Melt the acid with a little of the jelly by gentle heat, then mix all together.

Cockle Pills.—Aloes 18 grs., Colocinth Powder 12 grs., and Rhubarb 24 grs. Glycerine sufficient to make a paste. Divide into 24 pills.

Cassell's Blood Cleansing Tablets.

Phenolphthalein	..	...	0.75	per cent.
Potassium Iodide	...	...	1.25	"
Sugar	...	...	81	"
Talc, approximately	...	...	11	"
Calcium, Carbonate, and Sulphate, approximately			2	"
Water	...	...	1	"
Extractive	...	...	3	"

Carter's Little Liver Pills.—Podophyllin $\frac{1}{8}$ grain, and Aloes $\frac{1}{2}$ grain in each pill.

Daisy Head Powders.—1 oz. of phenacetin makes 80 powders.

Doan's Kidney Pills.—Oil of Juniper 12 drops, Oil of Copaiba 24 drops. Make into a paste and divide into 24 pills.

Eno's Fruit Salts.—Carb. Soda 4 ozs., Tartaric Acid 4 oz., Rochelle Salts 4 oz., Cream of Tartar 2 oz., and fine Castor Sugar 1 lb.

Elliman's Embrocation (a.f.)—Crude Pyroligneous Acid 20 oz., Methylated Spirits 24 ozs., Turpentine $3\frac{1}{4}$ oz. and 1 egg.

Eades' Cough and Rheumatic Pills.

Barbadoes Aloes	...	...	10 per cent.
Extract of Colchicum...	...	...	18 "
Powdered Colchicum...	...	...	35 "
Treacle ...	...	...	27 "
Gum and Dextrin	...	...	10 "

Fenning's Children's Cooling Powders.—Potassium Chlorate 70 grs., Powdered Liquorice 30 grs. to make 30 powders.

Guy's Tonic.—Diluted Phosphoric Acid 1 dram, Infusion of Gentian 1 oz., Chloroform Water to make 8 ozs., coloured with Liquid Cochineal.

Gregory Powder.—Magnesia 2 ozs., Ginger $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., Rhubarb 1 oz., dry and mix.

Harlene (a.a.)—Glycerine, Spirits of Wine, of each 1 oz., Ammonia $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., Oil of Cassia 10 drops, only shake to mix.

Holloway's Pills.—Aloes 62 grs., Rhubarb 27 grs., Saffron 3 grs., Sulphate of Soda $1\frac{1}{2}$ grs., and Capsicum 7 grs. Make into pills of 5 grains each.

Kaputine.—Antifebrine and Sugar.

Koko.—Borax 140 minims, glycerine 170 minims, formaldehyde solution (40 per cent.) 10 minims, alcohol 5 drams, perfume a trace, Water to 20 ozs. by measure.

Kay's Tic Pills.—Sulphate of Iron 18 grains, Quinine 18 grains, and Soap 24 grains. Make 12 pills, one for a dose.

Lamplough's Pyretic Saline.—Carb. Soda 4 oz., Carb. Potash 2 oz., Citric Acid 4 oz., fine Sugar 16 oz.

Lord Amhurst's Cure for Rheumatism.—2 oz. Sulphur, 1 oz. Cream of Tartar, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. Pulverised Rhubarb, 1 oz. Gum Tricacum, 1 lb. Honey. Two teaspoonfuls night and morning.

Owbridge's.—Syrup of Tolu 1 oz., Oil of Aniseed 8 drops, Syrup to make 8 oz.

Ozerine for Epilepsy Fits.—Pot Broom 120 grains, Ammonia Carbonate 16 grains, Chloroform Water 1 fluid oz., water and burnt sugar (to colour) 7 oz.

Phosferine.—Syrup of Phosphates 1 oz., Quinine 10 grns., Syrup of Hypophosphates $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., Water 6 oz. To make shake only.

Peps.—Medicinal Terebine $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., Sugar 3 oz.

Page Woodcock's Wind Pills.—Aloes 12 grs. Oil of Caraway 4 drops, and Soap 24 grains. Make 12 pills.

Parmint.—1 oz. Paragoric, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Essence of Peppermint.

Seigel's.—Decoction of Aloes 2 oz., Infusion of Gentian 2 oz., Tincture of Cayenne 20 drops, Decoction of Dandelion 1 oz., Oil of Sassafras 20 drops, Rect. Spirit 1 dram, Borax 1 dram, Syrup $2\frac{1}{2}$ oz., shake well.

Sequah's Oil (a.a.)—2 oz. Fish Oil, 4 oz. Turpentine, 8 drops Camphor Oil. Mix together.

Scott's Emulsion (b.d.)—Norwegian Cod Liver Oil 8 oz., Oil of Wintergreen $\frac{1}{2}$ dram, Powdered Acacia 3 drams, Hypophosphite of Lime 1 dram, Boiled Milk 15 oz. Mix the Acacia and Milk, add the oils gradually to make an emulsion, and when complete dissolve the lime and soda in it.

Singleton's Eye Ointment.—Red Mercuric Oxide 70 parts, Beeswax 40 parts, Lard, Japan Wax and Cocoanut Oil, equal parts to make one hundred parts.

Swift's Corn Cure.—Diluted Vitriol.

Seidlitz Powders.—1d. Carbonate Soda, 1d. Glauber Salts, 1d. Tartaric Acid. 60 costs 3d.

S. Jacob's Oil.— $\frac{1}{2}$ pint Turpentine, 2 drams Oil of Cloves, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Camphor. Mix and shake.

Sloan's Liniment.—2 oz. Meth. Sal., 1 oz. Friars Balsam, 1 oz., Rectified Spirits of Camphor.

"Tatcho." (The G. R. Sims' Hair Grower). Borax $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., Glycerine $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., Quinine 6 grns., Formuldehyde Solution (40 per cent) $6\frac{1}{2}$ drams colouring matter (brownish yellow) and perfume traces, Alcohol $5\frac{1}{2}$ oz., water sufficient to produce by measure one pint.

Tiz.—16 oz. Dry Soap, 4 oz. Boracic Acid.

Winslows'.—Essence of Aniseed 4 drams, Cayaway Water 1 oz., Fennel Water 1 oz., Syrup to 8 oz

Warner's Safe Cure.—Nitrate of Potash 10 grains to the ounce with minute quantities Oil of Liverwort and Wintergreen.

Welpton's Pills.—Rhubarb 12 grs., Aloes 6 grs., Ginger 12 grs., Ipecacuanha 3 grs., and Soap 8 grs. Divide into 12 pills.

William's Pink Pills.—Sulphate of Iron 12 grs., Carbonate of Potash 12 grs., Liquorice 6 grs., Sugar 12 grs., and Starch 6 grs. Colour with Confection of Roses, and make into 12 pills.

Zam-Buk.—1d. White Wax, 1d. Vaseline, 1d. Eucalyptus Oil, 1d. Eider Oil, 1d. Pale Resin. Cost 5d.

To make a Simple Syrup : Sugar and water stir over a slow fire until it is the right consistency.

To make a Paste for Mixing Pills : Flour and water should be used unless they are wanted to act upon the bowels, in which case use pure soap.

PRESCRIPTIONS

For EVERY COMPLAINT and DISEASE

(other than Patent Medicines) to be had on application.

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